

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of
MARE VERTES
Serial No: 10/522,897
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Title: FUNCTIONAL CONTINUITY
BY REPLICATING A SOFTWARE
APPLICATION IN A MULTI-
COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE

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Before Examiner:
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REPLY AND AMENDMENT TO A NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

A. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Non-Final Office Action having a mailing date of February 19, 2009, with a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on May 19, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

There are no **Amendments to the Specification**.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

There are no **Amendments to the Drawings**.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

There is not an appendix to this paper.